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Direction of wind	North
Force of wind	22
State of Sea	Calm
Barometer corrected	760
State of Clouds	4 clouded
Evaporation	5
During 24 hours ending 8 a.m.	
Max. Temp. in the shade	33
Min. do.	21
Humidity of the air	81
Heat of the sun	72
Moon rises 11.45 p.m.	
sets 1 p.m.	

OTHER STATIONS.

OBSERVATIONS BY SURVEY DEPARTMENT

For the 24 hours ending 8 a.m. yesterday.

Stations.	Max. temp. in the shade.	Min. temp. in the shade.	Stations.	Max. temp. in the shade.	Min. temp. in the shade.
Port Said.	32	24	Meroua.	43	23
Suez.	36	23	Asiut.	40	16
Helwan.	34	30	Siakin.	40	28
Chihah.	31	17	Khartoum.	40	26
Assiut.	32	17	Wad Medani.	35	21
Ain el-Helwan.	24	25	Duella.	36	24
Wady Halfa.	37	22			

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## EGYPT'S CURSE.

The terrible theory of the Parisian scientist, Dr. Sornac, that tuberculosis is due to Egyptian mummies is thus discussed by Dr. Clifton Harby Levy in the pages of an American contemporary:—

If Dr. Sornac is right the world owes indyng hatred to eternal Egypt. He is the first of modern scientists to announce that archaeological research is responsible for the great White Plague. Perhaps he is right; but the present state of scientific knowledge is not sufficient to say positively whether bacteria could live so many thousands of years or not. In fact, much that we do know points to the probability of the persistence of disease germs indefinitely. It is generally admitted by scientists that among bacteria are some species that are able to live without free oxygen, without light, and at a relatively high temperature, and this to an extent known among no other group of living beings.

It was the genius of Pasteur that proved that microbes, or microbe organisms, can live without any oxygen. He found that oxygen is taken from chemical compounds, constituting the food of the bacteria. It has also been proved that absence of air has a further effect, it enables the microbes to retain for a long time their power of causing fermentation, of producing poison or of bringing about infection. Experiments by Fajans and Haeppe have shown that cholera cultures retain their virulence for weeks, and even months, under anaerobic conditions after parallel culture, which have been freely exposed to air have since lost their potency. Bunt-Federn has stated that the same thing is true of the very deadly pneumonia germ—and how much easier, then, it is to conceive of the long preservation of the tuberculosis germ.

The tremendous resistance power of bacilli has been proved over and over again by modern experiments. Simple freezing destroys some of the cells, but many withstand this shock. Several endure a still lower temperature than the vegetable forms, surviving for twenty hours at a temperature of 120 degrees. According to recent experiments by Pictet they survive and are able to multiply—being imbedded in frozen oxygen at 213 degrees.

Spores of some species are destroyed by hot water and steam only after six hours' exposure and by steam under pressure, at 110 to 120 degrees after half an hour. In a dry condition some withstand the action of high temperature to 170 degrees.

Cholera bacteria vary in their resistance and often exhibit differences of from a few hours to upward of eight months. Anthrax germs and other endospores have been found to be capable of development after remaining in a dry condition for the seemingly impossible period of ten years.

This is absolutely demonstrated and generally accepted as true by scientific men. Now if it be true that one species of bacilli can live absolutely dried for ten years, and if it be true that no air is required to keep alive some germs, and if it be remembered that mummies were kept in hermetically sealed tombs or chambers for thousands of years, it is not impossible that in preserving the body of their dead the Egyptians at the same time kept alive—or in a state of suspended animation—the germs which caused the death of Pharaohs and their subjects during hundreds of years.

It has been stated at various times that seeds of plants buried with mummies have grown when planted, and if this be true, how much more probable is it that germs of tuberculosis, far more recent than any plant seed, may survive this long interval and when brought to light and air begin their pernicious activity again?

There is another presumption in favour of Dr. Sornac's theory, and that is the mummies themselves. The mode of embalming called mummifying was one which, while it was intended to preserve the flesh of the dead, undoubtedly could and did preserve any bacilli in the flesh. This is especially true of the Theban mode of mummifying, by which the flesh was so perfectly preserved that it even now yields to the touch and is not the hard, black flesh of Memphian mummies. If the balsams used were so efficacious for the preservation of human flesh it is more than possible that at the same time and unintentionally the germs of the diseases which killed these Egyptians may have been preserved in the same way.

We must not forget that the science of bacteriology is a brand-new science, so new, in fact, that we have not had the time as yet to test thoroughly the length of time that a dried bacterium may remain in a suspended state of animation. We do know that some of these when dried will survive a period of ten years and then return to activity. It is the preservation for the first year or two that is rather astonishing.

If a germ survive ten years there is no reason to believe that this germ would not remain in the same condition for ten centuries or twenty or thirty centuries under proper conditions.

These conditions exist to a nicety in the tombs of Egypt. The bodies had been wrapped in moist linen first, and then, after continued wrapping, deposited in stone sarcophagi or coffins and placed in tombs which were hermetically sealed for ages. The temperature was an even, constant one, and it has been proved in connection with all organic matter that the dry soil of Egypt is a wonderful preservative. Manuscripts for instance, that would have fallen to pieces when buried in any other soil have been perfectly preserved, and it is little wonder then, if the dried germs of diseases have also kept in this manner, especially under the conditions of mummy making and burial.

We know now to a certainty that the Egyptians were subject to much the same diseases as modern men of other countries, for the books of Egyptian physicians have been found and deciphered, and it is certain, from the symptoms mentioned and the prescriptions found, that none of our diseases are modern inventions, least of all the great white plague tuberculosis.

In fact, some scholars have gone further and carefully studied those historic plagues visited upon the Egyptians when the Israelites were in Egyptian bondage, as described in the Book of Exodus in the Bible, and they find at least the suggestion that some of our diseases appeared as these plagues. They claim that the last great and awful plague, when the first born was stricken, even in Pharaoh's house, was consumption in its most terrible and rapid form. But whether this was the disease with which the Angel of Death struck down the hagen sons of Egypt or not we know that consumption prevailed in Egypt, and that during the 5,000 years that mummifying was practised in Egypt many millions of corpses of those who had died of consumption must have been preserved, together with the fatal germ.

It is not surprising that archaeologists have never thought of the dangers connected with their interesting pursuit for the wonders of the past and besides, in the early part of the nineteenth century, when Egyptian research was stimulated by Napoleon, no one dreamed of this science of bacteriology.

For a full century now the museums of the world have coveted and fought for these old mummies, and when any have been secured they unrolled them without hesitation, scattering germs buried and preserved for thousands of years to sow the seeds of disease broadcast in Europe and America.

This is a verification of the Biblical "visiting the sins of the fathers upon the children" in a new and terrible sense. It is not upon the children, but upon unborn generations that this plague has fallen with all its terrors.

Now that Dr. Sornac has called the attention of the world to this danger, which may have caused untold suffering and innumerable deaths, is it not time that the civilized world guard itself against any repetition of this terror?

Scientists can easily suggest methods of slaying the germs lying in the mummy-cases the very moment they are opened and before the germ laden wrappings are removed, and in this way scholars and lovers of ancient research may be protected from these unnecessary dangers. It is at least something well worthy of careful study and the exercise of proper precautions.



## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

**The Price of Loyalty.**  
The total subscription for the Accession Day Fêtes realised L.E. 396.

**Naahieh Seizure.**  
The coast guards seized two sacks of naahieh of the coast of Ramleh yesterday.

**The Brindisi Mail.**  
The Brindisi mail will be distributed at the G. P. O., Alexandria, at 9 p.m. to-morrow.

**The Prison Department.**  
The Mamours of the Egyptian Government prisons have received orders to henceforth wear military uniforms.

**Coptic New Year.**  
To-day is the Coptic New Year's Day, and we wish all our Coptic readers a happy new year at the beginning of 1623.

**New Police Station.**  
The Ministry of Finance has purchased a plot of land at Gabbary, 1432 metres in extent, for erecting a police station thereon.

**Hydrophobia.**  
Instructions have been issued to the provincial governors and mudira regarding the measures to be taken for victims of hydrophobia.

**New Coptic School.**  
To-day the Coptic Colony at Cairo will inaugurate its new industrial school at Berket el Rate. The Patriarch Cyril VIII. will preside at the inaugural ceremony.

**New Officers' Quarters.**  
A board of officers assembled at Abbassieh this morning in order to report on the site at Harsem Buildings, where it is proposed to build new officers' quarters.

**Rotations.**  
The Nile being now in flood, the Ministry of Public Works is dismissing the rotation service staff, which includes Mr. Osborne Ashton, of Mesopotamia province.

**Imprisonment for Libel.**  
The Native Court of Appeal has sentenced Sheikh Mustafa El Shater, editor of "Al Muntaz," to six months' imprisonment for libelling the telegraph employees at Tantah.

**Stray Dogs.**  
To-morrow night at 11 o'clock all dogs found in the Shoubra quarter will be poisoned by order of the Governorat. Friends will accept this the only intimation.

**Fatality on Mex Railway.**  
Yesterday afternoon a native man was run over by a locomotive on the Mex line and had his hands and feet cut off. He was taken to hospital where he succumbed to his injuries shortly afterwards.

**Motor-Car Accident.**  
Yesterday at Zaher, Cairo, an old native, sixty-five years of age, by name Ahmed Khalaf, was run over by a motor-car and taken to hospital in a dying state. The driver of the automobile escaped.

**French Consulate at Suez.**  
The French Foreign Office has promoted M. Altermer, French Vice-Consul at Suez, and at present on leave, to the rank of Consul. M. Altermer will continue to be chargé d'affaires of the French Vice-Consulate at Suez.

**San Stefano Casino.**  
We remind our readers of the Variety entertainment to-night, at 9.45 o'clock. To-morrow Mr. Longhi's "Live Dolls" give a performance. On the 20th inst. there will be a magnificent fête de nuit for the Italian National Festival.

**Italian National Fete.**  
In celebration of this anniversary which falls on the 20th inst., the Philodramatic Esmete Novelli Society have issued invitations for an open air entertainment at Kasr El Nil Terrace, under the auspices of the Italian Diplomatic Agent. The proceeds are in aid of the Umberto I. Hospital.

**Opera Square Incident.**  
Two of the Greeks who assaulted the British officers have been sentenced by their Consulate to twenty days' imprisonment. The Hellenic Agency has agreed with the Cairo Governorat to expel George Araghi and Alexander Kouzidi until such time as they shall have amended their ways.

**The Shoubra Crime.**  
The widow of the late Scopelitis is in Cairo, and intends taking civil action in the criminal proceedings against Paillard. The enquiry since Saturday has led to serious revelations, which will involve a further arrest. The "Chambre de Conseil" of the Consular Court meets to-day to adopt the necessary measures. Judge Varquez has requested Paillard senior to absent himself from Court whilst the investigation is proceeding.

**Permanent Way Renewals.**  
During the past year, 90 1/2 kilometres of track on the Egyptian Government Railways' system were renewed with rails. About 61 kilometres were relaid with steel bull-headed rails, and 29 1/2 with steel Vignole rails. The principal lines relaid were between Genéfié and Suez Docks; part of the Zagazig to Mansourah line, and the Upper Egypt line between Bedresheim and Kafr Ammar. At the end of 1905 the railways had 64 kilometres of new rails on hand which could not be laid during the year.

**Fire at Damanhour.**  
A serious fire broke out at Damanhour in the small hours of yesterday morning, at about 3 a.m. It started in a tailor's shop in the Mondirich street, and fanned by a strong wind, destroyed two other dwellings. The Mondirich was at once on the scene at the head of the fire brigade, and directed the work of combating the flames which was rendered very difficult owing to the dense smoke that blew into the firemen's faces. It was only after a hard fought fight that the fire was mastered, at four o'clock.

## NILE TOURIST TRAFFIC.

## INTERNATIONAL RIVALRY.

## KEEN COMPETITION.

Three steamship companies under three different flags—American, German, and British—will seek to capture tourist traffic on the River Nile in the coming Winter season. The competition between the rival companies will be very keen, and it is not improbable that a rate war will ensue.

For many years Thomas Cook & Son had the monopoly of the Nile passenger traffic until 1906, when the Anglo-American Nile Navigation Company took a hand. The latter company developed last Winter into the Hamburg-American Company, and the German flag will fly over the steamers Paritan and May-flower next season instead of the Stars and Stripes.

The "Express" Nile Navigation Company, although an Egyptian Company, is to be run on up-to-date American lines and has offices in New York. Two new steamers, the Virginian and the America, have been constructed for the company, and it is claimed that they will be the fastest steamers on the Nile. Their average speed upstream will be 12 knots an hour against the current, which runs at 2 1/2 or 3 knots an hour.

Nile cruises up to Assouan and back to Cairo occupy three weeks. The "Express" Nile company intends to make the trip in eight days at a cost of \$100. One of their special features will be a daily steamer service between Luxor and Assouan, which will avoid the necessity of passengers making the disagreeable train journey across the desert.

Thomas Cook & Sons do not exhibit any alarm at the prospect of competition, as they believe that the more advertising and publicity that is given to Egypt the greater will be the tide of tourist traffic.

"For years," said the manager of their American tourist department, "we had strong opposition from the Anglo-American Company, and our Nile business exceeded all previous bookings."

William Meyer, the New York passenger manager of the Hamburg-American Company, feels confident that their steamers would get their share of the traffic on the Nile. In addition to the six steamers taken over from the Anglo-American Company, they had built two new vessels, the Germania and the Nubia. Two more vessels of similar type would be ready for the season of 1907-08. The German company has also entered into competition with Cooks on land by opening travel bureaux in New York, Chicago, and the principal cities in Europe, as well as erecting hotels in the Holy Land.

## THE LATE PRINCE IBRAHIM.

The "Figaro" attributes the Bernay tragedy not to any imprudence on the part of the Prince, but to the lack of proper signals on this and other communal railways, which twisting through forests and fields are a positive danger. It concludes by drawing the attention of the Touring Club of France to this state of things.

Princess Sheveikar, sister of the unfortunate Prince, and wife of Seifoullah Yusri Pasha, is suffering from heart attack, which was aggravated by the shock of the tragic death, she having been the first to attend to him, and remained by his bedside until his death.

## THE KHEDIVIAL LAW SCHOOL.

Nine undergraduates of the Khedivial Law School who failed in this year's examination have been dismissed, and wrongly, to quote the "Mosayad," which holds that they are entitled by the old regulations to a second trial as the new rule under which they are expelled came into force in February, five months only after they had been admitted, and this, observes the journal, especially in view of the fact that the Ministry of Public Instruction had delayed the execution of a rule regarding school fees until the new term.

Our contemporary adds that the parents of these undergraduates intend taking action against the Ministry.

## THE MAHROUSSA.

The Khedive's yacht, the Mahroussa, has been in the Gowan drydock, Glasgow, for the past few weeks being got ready for her trials, which were to commence to-day. Steam was got up in her boilers a week ago, and work on deck is now completed.

## THE COMMERCIAL, INDUSTRIAL AND LAND COMPANY OF EGYPT LIMITED.

In reference to the letter which appeared in our issue of yesterday from a shareholder in the above Company, we understand that the circular announcing the purchase of the business of Messrs. Edgar Kirby and Company was prematurely sent out after the negotiations had been completed, but before the agreement had been signed.

At the last moment there was a disagreement about one of the clauses of the agreement, and consequently the negotiations fell through.

## BRITISH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

The bulletin of the British Chamber of Commerce of Egypt for July has just made its appearance. It contains some practical hints for manufacturers, an interesting article on Egypt's flour trade, some extracts from the report for the past year's working of the Egyptian Government Railways, and a review of the imports during July, which we reproduce in another column.

## SUAKIN NOTES.

## THE ATBARA LINE REPAIRED.

## DEATHS FROM SUNSTROKE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Suakin 5th September.

The forty days' struggle against the wash-outs came to an end yesterday, and all the damage has now been repaired, so that traffic on the railway line is resumed once more. There are hopes that there will be no more wash-outs this year; at least not any of considerable importance.

Mr. Urquhart, bridge contractor, Suakin-Atbara line, has moved his masons and stone cutters from Themiam to Port Sudan line, where he has commenced excavations and stone quarrying for the bridges of Port Sudan railway line. Mr. Urquhart will complete his bridge contract from Suakin to Atbara in about a month's time. The question of the extra bridges to be added on to this line to combat next year's wash-outs is still under consideration.

The Langdale lost one of her first-class passengers by the name of Mr. Brown, who was bound for Mombassa from England, he having had a sunstroke in the morning of the 28th ult. Two native doctors attended him (there being no European doctor here at the time) and the same night he died. The funeral took place on the morning of the 29th ult. The Rev. Blackledge reading the funeral service. Another sad death took place from sunstroke. The victim was Mr. Skoufos, chief clerk at the Khedivial Mail Agency, Suakin. He was quite a young man, a little over 20, well educated and of a good Greek family. He stood over six feet high, and was very much liked by Suakin society. He left for Port Sudan by the S.S. Dakahlieh in a critical condition to be treated by a European doctor there, but it was too late, and he passed away from this world on the 1st inst.

The Rev. Blackledge, Army Chaplain, who is a passenger on board the S.S. Langdale, gave up his visiting Khartoum owing to the railway line being broken, and left by the S.S. Langdale for Mombassa (Uganda) on the 2nd inst.

Kaimkam Longfield Bey, R.E. Chief Engineer and Assistant Director of the Sudan Railway, left by the S.S. Dakahlieh on the 29th ult. on leave of absence for England.

Bimbashi Lord, R.E., has moved from Gebelt to Atbara to act as Chief Engineer in place of Longfield Bey.

Bimbashi Newcombe, R.E. Agent of the Sudan Government Railways, at Suakin, has cancelled his leave so that Mr. Hickley will not now relieve him. Mr. Hickley has gone to Gebelt to replace Bimbashi Lord as District Engineer, Suakin-Atbara line.

## MOUDIR OF KENEH.

## A RELAPSE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Keneh, Tuesday, 10.30 a.m.

I regret to state that Yassin Bey Monastapha, the Moudir of Keneh, after cancelling his leave and resuming his official duties at the Moudirich for the space of a single day, again felt the effects of his recent automobile accident and in consequence has had to apply to the Ministry for further leave. He is leaving for Cairo to-night.

## THE DENISHWAI AFFAIR.

We have received the following notice from T. Fisher Unwin:—

A pamphlet by Mr. Wilfrid Blunt entitled "Atrocities of Justice under British Rule in Egypt" will be published by Mr. Unwin on September 10th. It has been called forth by the recent scandal of the trial and execution of the villagers of Denishwai. Its object is to trace the history of similar cases which have occurred in Egypt within the author's recollection, and in this way to show the essentially inequitable basis on which the criminal relations between Englishmen and native, especially between English officer and Egyptian fellah, have been made to stand, as often as it has been thought advisable on political grounds to uphold the former and punish the latter.

## THE PLAGUE.

A native of the Labban quarter of Alexandria was admitted yesterday into the Government Hospital suffering from bubonic plague.

A fatal case of plague has occurred at Beni Suef Hospital, and also there has been a fresh case admitted to hospital there.

## STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The Moss liner "Tabar" called from Malta yesterday afternoon, and is due here on Thursday evening or Friday morning next, the 14th inst., at daybreak, with passengers, mails, and a general cargo.

The S.S. Kafir Prince, with passengers and a general cargo, left Malta on Monday, the 10th inst., and is due to arrive at Alexandria on the 14th inst.

The S.S. "Melbourne" from Antwerp with general cargo, left Algiers on Sunday, the 9th inst., and is due to arrive at Alexandria on Saturday, the 15th inst.

## EGYPT'S TRADE.

## IMPORTS DURING JULY.

The net result of the operations through the Customs during the month of July was to add rather more than a quarter of a million to the increase in import values during the current year. The actual clearances amounted to L.E. 1,786,070 against L.E. 1,509,936 for July 1905, the difference being one of L.E. 276,134.

## Metals.

Compared with the same period last year, the metal figures showed a substantial increase of L.E. 152,006, mainly due to the gain of L.E. 110,091 in iron and iron goods. In this particular sub-division Belgium was credited with L.E. 63,753, France L.E. 24,938, Germany L.E. 24,063, and Great Britain L.E. 66,791.

The shipments of agricultural machinery at L.E. 19,605 were L.E. 11,261 higher than in 1905, Switzerland sending L.E. 3,932 and America L.E. 1,146. Belgium supplied the whole of the railway and tramway rolling stock valued at L.E. 14,292, and Germany the locomotives (L.E. 1,278).

The general machinery classification—from which are excluded all agricultural machines and locomotives—totalled L.E. 87,894, being an expansion of L.E. 36,339. Italy's share was L.E. 17,017 whilst those of France and Germany were L.E. 15,414 and L.E. 11,887 respectively.

## Cereals.

The returns for this category amounted to L.E. 221,823, being an increase of L.E. 66,913 over 1905. The flour clearances were 12,283,141 kilograms, against 6,742,378 twelve months ago, and the difference in value L.E. 41,602. France, of course, supplied the greater part of the shipments, her figures of L.E. 62,477 being followed by Russia with L.E. 14,933.

## Colonial Produce.

The increase here was one of L.E. 24,202, the principal contributor being sugar with a gain of L.E. 13,367. Germany's footing in this trade—of which special mention was made in a recent Journal—shows no sign of diminishing, her clearances during June and July having totalled L.E. 41,827.

## Textiles.

The total imports under this heading were valued at L.E. 404,761—a gain of L.E. 13,991 over the previous July. Manchester goods were up L.E. 9,162, thus reducing the drop on the year to L.E. 99,919. The clearances in bags at L.E. 15,287 were L.E. 8,602 greater than in 1905, but on the other hand, carpets were L.E. 4,227 down. Silk fabrics advanced L.E. 5,049, though the gross returns for 1906 are still L.E. 10,995 to the bad.

## China and Glassware.

Belgium led to way with L.E. 6,758, being followed by Austria (L.E. 4,808) and Germany (L.E. 4,504). The increase in the classification was L.E. 8,533.

## Timber and Coal.

The only category of any moment showing a decrease on the month was the timber and coal division—in which furniture is included—where the net loss amounted to L.E. 51,103.

## Timber.

Timber to the value of L.E. 115,303 passed through the Customs, against L.E. 162,763 in 1905, the shrinkage thus being L.E. 47,455. Turkey contributed L.E. 45,408. Sweden L.E. 32,531 and England L.E. 16,956.

## Coal.

The coal returns of 52,957 tons valued at L.E. 35,197 show a decrease of 13,028 tons and L.E. 12,255.

## Furniture.

The shipments of furniture from France and England were in each case slightly over L.E. 7,000, Austria following with L.E. 6,335 and Germany with L.E. 5,704. The increase on the month was L.E. 10,174, which thus brings the total clearances for the year in this sub-division up to L.E. 218,191.

## England's share.

Although, as we have already mentioned, the expansion in Egypt's import trade during July amounted to L.E. 276,134, we find that Great Britain only shares in the same to the extent of L.E. 33,084, or normal of 33.1% thus dropping to 14.9%.

A glance at home country's figures readily affords an explanation of the above low percentage, for it will be seen that her returns suffered to the extent of L.E. 9,308 under the combined clearances of coal and Manchester goods. With these two important divisions yielding a loss, the chances of an expansion in England's figures for any particular month can never be very great, and in the present instance had it not been for the support of the metal category, our proportion of the country's additional trade during July would have been a very small one. The iron trade yielded a net gain of L.E. 32,551 in England's favour, whilst the general metal goods (excluding those of copper, brass, bronze and iron) contributed an increase of L.E. 8,370. Agricultural machinery shipments from Great Britain were heavier by L.E. 6,443.

With the above exceptions, the movements on the credit side of England's ledger were practically unimportant, the largest figures being, with one exception, within L.E. 3,500 of the returns for 1905.

Apart from coal, with a loss of L.E. 11,581 there were no very serious declines in Great Britain's shipments. Locomotives dropped L.E. 6,124, rolling stock L.E. 5,655 and the unclassified cereals L.E. 6,999.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents, but we wish, in a spirit of fair play to all, to permit—within certain necessary limits—free discussion.

## THE REV. PETER RUDOLPH.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "EGYPTIAN GAZETTE."  
Sir,—My name has of late come so prominently before the Egyptian public in reference to the Purification of Alexandria that the following additional facts as to my life and work here will undoubtedly be of interest to the public:—

My work here has been so successful that I have become part and parcel of all nationalities.

In fact people of all nations, both rich and poor, come and ask for advice, which I most willingly give, regardless of time, cost or trouble. Owing to my work making or obliging me to mix with a very large number of people of different classes of Society, I can meet the demands of one by obliging the necessities of the other. During my visits as well as through the many applicants who came to me so many of whom were blind, who seemed to live in such a miserable existence, continually walking about in the dark by the assistance of others, who always seemed to me to look upon it as a great trial to themselves, (but what must have been the trial of the blind, without the knowledge of our Heavenly Father's light, miserable, ah! miserable indeed!) I thought of trying to make their life brighter, not only by teaching the blind to read, but by learning them a craft, such as making baskets, chairs, etc. What was necessary was an Asylum and an asylum meant money. I meant work, and I did the work, and the work got the other. I first went to the late lamented Geo. Goussion, who was an intimate friend of mine and told him what I had in my heart and the fellow-feeling I had for the poor suffering blind humanity. I told him starving for food was bad enough, but how much worse must it be to not only be starving but to be blind as well which kept you from relieving your want. He saw the need of an Asylum and he said "It needs work and plenty of it, Mr. Rudolph." I volunteered to do the work and we carried it through. We got a Home at Moharrem Bey which used to be Mr. Araber's house. Through my efforts and Mr. Goussion's, money simply flew in. The first bedstead I obtained from a Jewish lady named Mrs. Levich. Mr. Goussion unfortunately obtained a Director for the Home whom I did not think suitable. I complained to Goussion, but he said the man was all right, money was coming in, and I had only to have patience. Patience I had but I could not stand that Director, so I resigned and in a very short time the Home was closed. A year or two after Lord and Lady Meath came here and amongst one of their enquiries was "Have you a Home for the Blind here?" When answered in the negative she was recommended to come and see me. Her ladyship did. I told her of my former experience with regard to the first Blind Asylum I had founded and the cause of its closing. She was pleased with the work I had done, but said "with your assistance, Mr. Rudolph, we'll get a second. I introduced her consequently to some of the wealthiest people in Alexandria, amongst whom was Baron Jack de Menasse. Amongst such wealthy supporters her Ladyship turned her back on me, (although I care little for that, I help the poor in God's name, not mine). The Home for the blind was founded a second time and her ladyship got the profit of doing it.

Truly Yours, PETER RUDOLPH.

September 9th, 1906.

The Rudolph Home, Alexandria.

## PURIFICATION OF ALEXANDRIA.

(TO THE EDITOR OF THE "EGYPTIAN GAZETTE.")

Sir,—Under the above and similar heading, many articles and letters have appeared in the press, but perhaps the latter most worthy of note is that from the pen of Mr. Knight Foley, who grasps the situation in a sensible manner, inasmuch as the persons who are waging this most unwarrantable war against our "singing sisters" are probably equally sinful. Far better to look for morality at home; and leave the "singing sisters" to their Maker, instead of drying them from pillar to post, and to perhaps a worse life than they are at present leading. Youstabi Blattner and the Morality Brigade will never stamp it out; far better leave it alone altogether than take up a line of persecution that cannot help but end in absolute failure and discredit to those who are pulling the wires.

If the Rev. Peter Rudolph has been so many years trying to stamp this evil out, and has not succeeded, surely it is not much use anyone taking it up where he left off. Apparently his teachings are not live and let live.

Thanking you in advance, I enclose my card and remain, Yours faithfully,

Alexandria, September 10th.

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## CAIRO &amp; ALEXANDRIA.

## PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Prince Mohamed Aly Pasha yesterday visited Fakhry Pasha, Minister of Public Works, at San Stefano Hotel. The Prince afterwards left for Cairo.

Prince Ibrahim Pasha Hilmi, uncle of the Khedive, who is now stopping at Sheppard's Hotel will leave for Europe on Saturday next. His Highness recently sold his palace at El-Manselreh for L.E. 100,000.

The Khedivah-Mother will in all probability spend the coming winter season in Constantinople.

The report published in the British Press that Lord Kitchener will shortly be appointed to the Irish command is discredited in India, as it is thought that far too much remains to be done in India to justify the removal of the Commander-in-Chief, whose task is regarded as only half complete.

It will be remembered that we stated a few days ago that no importance was attached to the report in military quarters in England.

Luzzato Pasha, general manager of the Bank of Egypt, arrived yesterday at Alexandria on his return from Europe.

Tito, Hekékyan Pasha and wife, of Alexandria, have arrived at Wiesbaden from Paris, and have taken apartments at the Hotel Nassau.

It is stated that Sheikh Mohamed Shaker, President of the Ulama Board of Alexandria, will be appointed Vice-Chancellor of Al-Azhar University after the return of the Khedive. He will also retain his present position.

## TINNED MEATS IN EGYPT.

A correspondent writes:—  
The "Egyptian Gazette" has rendered a public service by exposing the absurdly weak reply of Mr. Armour to the "Jungle" exposure, and whatever the Egyptian agents of the Chicago packing firm may say, they will find it a hard task to restore public confidence in Mr. Armour's products. I will conclude with the following extract from a remarkable article in last month's "Westminster Review," quoted in the "Review of Reviews":—

To make even an approximate approach to the elimination of diseased meat it would be necessary to inspect every animal before being slaughtered and put into quarantine every one that was noticeably unhealthy, and either to keep it under observation until quite well or to kill it and destroy the carcass. It would then be necessary to inspect every animal as it is killed in order to prevent the fraudulent removal of the internal organs. It would then be necessary to examine these organs in detail and to destroy (so far as human food is concerned) the bodies of animals whose organs were found unhealthy. And then, when you have done all this and have destroyed thousands of dead bodies which would otherwise have been eaten, you will have no assurance that the animal was not suffering from an early form of one of the most loathsome and malignant diseases the whole time.

The writer illustrates his point by referring to the great difficulty that confronts the best medical skill in deciding whether a growth in the richest patient is cancerous or not. How much greater the difficulty in regard to the possible diseases of cattle!

## CONTINENTAL HOTEL.

By kind permission of Major C. J. L. Davidson, D.S.O., commanding, and officers of the 2nd Batt. Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, the Band will perform the following programme on the Terrace of the Grand Continental Hotel during dinner to-morrow (Wednesday) from 8 to 11 p.m.

March—Low Balanka—Sylvester.  
Overture—La Croix d'Argent—Herman.  
Romance—Der letzte Abschied—Moret.  
Selection—Three Little Maids—Reubens.  
Cornet Solo—O Star of Eve (Tannhauser) Wagner.

Potpouri of popular songs of the Army and Navy (Alan).

Valse—Mimosa on Melodies from the Gaiety (Arr. Kiefert).

American Sketch—Down South—Myddleton.  
Gracful Dance—Primrose—Eisenberg.  
Valse—Ensuro Seductor—Rosen.

Selection—A Country Girl—Monchton.  
Characteristic March—Whistling Rufus—K. Milla.  
Regimental March—Khedivial Anthem.  
God Save the King.

## KHEDIVIAL YACHT CLUB REGATTA.

The handicap this week is the same as last week.  
Class I. Course B.  
Class II. Course M.

## ATHLETIC SPORTS.

The 1st Battalion Royal Dublin Fusiliers will hold their annual regimental sports on "Lucky Day," 25th September, at Mustapha Barracks, Alexandria.

The following events are open to the Army of Occupation:—

100 yards race, scratch. Prizes: P.T. 300; 2nd 100; 3rd 50.  
880 yards race, scratch. Prizes: P.T. 300; 2nd 100; 3rd 50.



## Circulaire H. De Vries et Boutigny

## NOTES ET CRITIQUES

Le Caire, le 10 Septembre.

Vendredi passé, le taux de l'escompte libre à Londres a été encore élevé de 1/8 à 3/8 pour cent. Ce même jour, au Stock Exchange, le Consolidé anglais a baissé de 1/8 à 86 5/8 et est resté à ce prix le lendemain. L'Unifiée est demeurée inchangée à 104 1/2. Le National Bank a perdu, vendredi, 1/8 à 26 7/8 et l'Agri- cole autant, samedi, à 93/4. La Delta et la Delta Light sont restées inchangées à 16 3/4 et 11 3/4.

A Paris, l'action Crédit Foncier Egyptien a gagné, vendredi, 2 francs à 764, cours auquel elle s'est maintenue le lendemain. La Banque d'Athènes a progressé de 1 franc à 144.

Notre marché des valeurs a gardé, plus ou moins, ce matin, le "statu quo" de la dernière séance. Acalmie dans tous les compartiments. Plusieurs titres ont conservé leurs cours précédents, quelques-uns ont tant soit peu rétrogradé et divers autres ont acquis une avance. Le National Bank a faibli à 26 5/8. Par contre, l'Agriole s'est raffermi à 93/16 et la Banque d'Athènes à 143. Le Comptoir Financier a fléchi à 6 5/8 l'action ancienne et 6 5/16 la nouvelle.

Le Crédit Foncier a été recherché à 767. La Delta a été bien tenue à 16 3/4 à 13/16. L'action Immobilière a avancé à 392; la part de fondateur a baissé de 735 à 755-760. La Nile Land a fait 14 1/16. L'action Warden Estate a reculé à 7 et la part de fondateur à 8 3/8. Les Improvements se sont consolidés à 5-5 1/16. Les actions Entreprises Immobilières et Travaux ont été cotées 4 1/4 à 5/16.

Les Jouisances Baux du Caire sont revenues à 267. Les Automobiles ont été demandées à 5 9/16-5/8. On a commencé à négocier les Bateaux-Omnibus du Caire aux environs de 5 livres.

Dans le groupe des valeurs hôtelières, les Nungovich ont cédé à 17 5/16, les Egyptian à 6 5/16-3/8 et les Upper Egypt à 4 7/8. Les National ont perdu plus de 1/4 de livre à 3 9/16-5/8; la part de fondateur s'est inscrite à 54.

Parmi les petites valeurs, les Delta Land ont moli à 3 7/16 et les Constructions à 1 7/16-1/2. En bonne demande, la Khedivial Mail a avancé à 33 sh. 6. Les Salt and Soda ont faibli à 21 sh. 8. Les Abdy à 1 3/16 et les Sucrières à 22-23 francs.

On annonce la très prochaine convocation de l'assemblée générale ordinaire des actionnaires du Comptoir Financier et Commercial d'Egypte, à laquelle on fera connaître les résultats du premier exercice clos le 31 Juillet dernier.

Nous avons mentionné, dans notre circulaire du 4 septembre courant, une rumeur, provenant d'Alexandrie, suivant laquelle on s'attendait à la reprise prochaine des pourparlers pour la fusion de la Port-Saïd Salt Association avec la Salt and Soda.

Or, on nous informe, de source autorisée, que ce renseignement était inexact; il n'y a eu aucune négociation jusqu'à présent, et il ne saurait paraître, être question de fusion, l'intérêt des actionnaires de la Port-Saïd Salt Association étant de rester libres. On pourra peut-être traiter un arrangement entre les deux sociétés pour la vente en commun du sel dans le pays, mais pas autre chose.

Un correspondant de "The Egyptian Gazette" fait observer que les recettes actuelles de la Menzleh Canal Co., en moyenne £5 par jour, ne suffisent guère, pour l'instant à couvrir les frais de navigation. Tant que le Canal ne sera pas creusé jusqu'à Port-Saïd, le transport du coton ne rapportera pas grand chose, car il faut le décharger à Karpouti et le recharger sur wagons à destination de Port-Saïd. D'autre part, le prolongement du canal jusqu'à Damiette et sa mise en communication avec le Nil, ne seraient pas moins nécessaires pour faire donner à l'entreprise des profits lui permettant de répartir un dividende. Le correspondant estime que, lorsque tous ces travaux seront terminés, l'entreprise pourra donner de bons bénéfices.

La date du versement de Frs. 62, 50 appelé sur les actions du Crédit Foncier Egyptien ayant expiré vendredi passé, ces actions ne sont plus négociables qu'en titres libérés de Frs. 187.50.

Carnet de l'actionnaire. Les actionnaires du Comptoir Financier et Commercial d'Egypte sont informés que, dans sa réunion du 7 Septembre courant, le conseil d'administration de cette Société a décidé l'appel des deux derniers versements d'un total de £3 sur les actions de la nouvelle émission. Ces versements devront s'effectuer au plus tard le 1er Octobre prochain.

Les recettes de la Delta Light Railways Co., pour la semaine au 1er Septembre ont été de L.E. 4,197 contre 3,625 en 1905, soit en augmentation de L.E. 572.

Les recettes totales depuis le 1er Avril 1906 se sont élevées à L.E. 85,319 contre 78,693 en 1905, soit en plus-value de L.E. 6,626 pour l'exercice courant.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE.

All debts owing to the Firm of R. Kirby & Co. in Cairo and Alexandria, are to be paid forthwith, to Mr. J. W. Congdon, Cairo, and no orders for plant or material of any kind are to be accepted, except through him.

D. BOUBOULIS, Avocat.  
Cairo, September 5, 1906. 28448-3-3

## BULLETIN DE LA BOURSE

(Aujourd'hui à midi et demie.)

Le marché a été peu animé ce matin. Quelques échanges seulement ont eu lieu en National Bank, Delta Land, Trust et Comptoir.

En National la baisse s'accentue de 26 5/8 à 26 1/2, probablement en sympathie avec Londres.

L'Agriole se maintient à 93/4, sans affaires. La Ramleh Railway perd 1/16 à 7 1/4-5/16. De 123 les actions Baux du Caire avancent à 266 1/2 pendant que les parts de jouissance réactionnent de 264 à 266.

Les Egyptian Markets gagnent 6 pence à 25 shillings.

Le dénouement, d'ailleurs non officiel, donné à la rumeur de pourparlers de fusion entre la Salt and Soda et la Port Saïd Salt Association a entraîné une nouvelle baisse de 3 pence sur la Salt and Soda qui tombe à 20/9.

En baisse également la Cassa di Sconto qui perd 50 centimes aux cours respectifs de 224 1/2 et 218 1/2.

Les Nungovich Hotels sont un peu plus faibles à 17 5/16-3/8.

De 3 13/32 la Delta Land fléchit à 3 3/8.

Le Trust et la Building Lands sont un peu plus faibles le premier à 1 15/32 et la seconde à 5.

Comme on a sans doute trouvé exagérée la baisse du Comptoir, on constate aujourd'hui une reprise de 1/16 tant sur l'ancienne que sur la nouvelle émission à 6 19/32 et 6 13/32. Quant à la part de fondateur, elle reste stationnaire à 45.

L'Union Foncière est très ferme à 6 1/16.

Il y a, parait-il, rumeur de l'argent en Angleterre. Le taux d'escompte s'est élevé de 3 1/2 à 3 3/4. Cette circonstance, combinée avec les prochains besoins de l'Egypte pour la saison cotonnière, est la cause de l'hésitation actuelle de la spéculation. On parle, en effet, de certaines difficultés opposées par les banques locales aux avances sur titres.

## SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

## ALEXANDRIA HARBOUR.

## ARRIVALS

September 10.  
Vassilissa Olga, Greek s., capt. Mavrelis, Saloonica and Piræus, Nangopolis.

September 11.  
Mostar, Aust. s., capt. Machiella, Gravosa, Giurassio.

El-Kahira, Brit. s., capt. Vassaxia, Constantinople and Piræus, Khedivial Mail.

Avoca, Brit. s., capt. Croxon, Antwerp and Malta, Tamvaco.

Ayr, Brit. s., capt. Charters, Newport, Barber & Son.

## DEPARTURES

September 9.  
Woods, Brit. s., capt. Hughes, Constantinople, in ballast.

Urania, Greek s., capt. Letkolikos, Braila, in ballast.

September 10.  
Amphitrite, Aust. s., capt. Tomassovich, Syria, Maraslia, Greek s., capt. Dambassi, Trebizonde.

Antigua, Brit. s., capt. Morgan, Constantinople, in ballast.

Nunima, Brit. s., capt. Thoren, Kustenge, in ballast.

## CREDIT LYONNAIS

## SOCIÉTÉ ANONYME

Capital entièrement versé :  
Deux Cent Cinquante Millions

Bilan au 31 Juillet 1906

ACTIF	
Especes en caisse et dans les banques	Fr. 144.379.093.45
Portefeuille	1.131.801.833.56
Avances sur garanties et Reports	478.713.770.29
Comptes courants	546.269.2.6.41
Portefeuille titres (Actions, Bons, Obligations, Rentes)	6.014.819.81
Immeubles	37.000.000.00
Comptes d'ordre et divers	25.712.906.83
<b>Total</b>	<b>Fr. 2.369.891.650.43</b>

## PASSIF

Dépôts et Bons à vue	Fr. 718.074.336.51
Comptes courants	1.031.544.703.84
Acceptations	143.888.883.37
Bons à échéance	27.182.150.75
Comptes d'ordre et divers	99.701.605.95
Réserves diverses	100.000.000.00
Capital entièrement versé	250.000.000.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>Fr. 2.369.891.650.43</b>

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## Administration des Chemins de Fer de l'Etat Egyptien

## AVIS

A partir de dimanche, 9 Septembre courant, jusqu'au 15 Octobre prochain un nouveau train circulera journellement entre Alexandrie et Aboukir.

L'horaire de ce train sera le suivant :

	Arr. No. 20	Dép. No. 21
Alexandrie	9.11	9.13
Sidi Gaber	9.17	9.18
Zahrie	9.19	9.20
Souk	9.21	9.22
Gabrial	9.23	9.27
Ramleh	9.35	9.36
Mandarah	9.44	9.48
Montazib	9.54	9.55
Mamourah	10.00	10.00
Aboukir	10.00	10.00

	Arr. No. 21	Dép. No. 22
Aboukir	10.35	10.36
Mamourah	10.51	10.52
Ramleh	10.54	10.55
Souk	11.02	11.03
Sidi-Gaber	11.13	11.13
Alexandrie	11.13	11.13

Le Caire, le 6 Septembre 1906. 28453-2-2

## AVIS

L'Administration des chemins de fer de l'Etat a l'honneur de porter à la connaissance du public qu'elle recevra jusqu'au 18 octobre prochain (1906), à midi des offres pour l'achat de vieux matériaux déposés à Gabbari (Alexandrie) conformément aux conditions et à la liste dont copie peut être obtenue des magasins de Gabbari (Alexandrie) ou du Bureau Central des Magasins au Caire (Boulaq) moyennant paiement de 100 (cent) millièmes.

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Le Caire, le 7 Septembre 1906. 28458-2-2

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By ORDER OF THE BOARD,  
C. Sender Hochstrasser,  
Secretary.  
Cairo, September 10th, 1906. 28460-3-2

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DAME parlant et écrivant quatre langues, connaissant à fond le travail d'Hôtel, cherche place pour diriger Pension, ou comme Gouvernante d'Etage. Bons certificats. Adresse La Poste Restante Cairo. 28454-6-3

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FOR SALE The Times Encyclopedia Britannica Bound in Morocco New £25. Apply N. Smith 7 Rue de la Poste. Alexandria. 28451-6-4

FURNITURE Fine bedroom suite for sale. Apply Victor Hall, Windsor Hotel. 28461-6-2

MRS. BOUCHER, Nursing Institute, 3 Pimlico Road, London, supplies (on receipt of full particulars) Housekeepers, Secretaries, Governesses, and Nurses of all descriptions, including monthly and children's. No fee till suited. 28455-7-10-96

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WANTED Billiard marker of gentlemanly appearance and address, must understand English Billiards. Application with copies of testimonials to secretary, Tuf Club, Cairo. 28439-7-6

WANTED GOOD PLAIN COOK. European woman. Apply to Mrs. Bett. Mr. Logan's House, Balkeley. 28449-6-4

WANTED—Second-hand enlarging lantern, with lamp, good condition. State price to No. 17, Pension Suisse, Cairo. 28457-3-3

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## COTON

Exportation du mois d'août 1906	
Angleterre	8,706
France	2,367
Russie	2,370
Autriche	1,590
Italie	450
Allemagne	992
Espagne	1,291
Belgique	512
Hollande	510
Indes	—
Japon	50
Suède	—
Turquie, Grèce et Roumanie	243
<b>Total</b>	<b>18,911</b>

Pesant caniers 255,843 90  
N.B.—Dans les expéditions pour l'Angleterre sont comprises balles 1,012 à destination des Etats-Unis.

## BOURSE KHEDIVIALE

## CONTRATS

Fluctuations de 9h.30 à 1h. p.m.  
Cotons F.G.F.Br.  
Dans la matinée: prix plus haut pour nov. talaris 16 11/32 à —; plus bas pour nov. 16 1/8 à —.  
Graines de coton  
Dans la matinée: prix plus haut pour 3 mois P.T. 62 10/40 à —; plus bas pour 3 mois 62 5/40 à —.

REMARQUES  
(De midi à 1h. p.m.)  
Cotons.—La faiblesse s'est accentuée vers clôture et les prix ont subi un nouveau recul. La tendance reste faible.  
Graines de coton.—Peu d'affaires mais cours soutenus.  
Fèves.—Marché nul.  
Bourse Khédiviale, le 10 septembre 1906.

## COTONS

copie de la dépêche  
DE L'ALEXANDRIA GENERAL PRODUCE ASSOCIATION  
à la  
LIVERPOOL COTTON ASSOCIATION

(Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khédiviale à 9h.45 a.m.)  
Tal. 16 11/32 Livraison Novembre  
" 16 1/8 " Janvier  
" 16 7/32 " Mars  
" 16 " Mai

Marché ferme  
Arrivages de ce jour, à Minet-el-Bassal, can. 1532.

(Cours pratiqués ce jour à la Bourse Khéd. à 1h. p.m.)  
Tal. 16 7/16 Livraison Novembre  
" 16 3/16 " Janvier  
" 16 5/16 " Mars  
" 16 " Mai

Marché ferme

## MARCHE DE MINET-EL-BASSAL

11 septembre 1906.—(11h.55 a.m.)

Cotons.—Clôture du marché du 10 septembre: Calme.

REURRES  
Fair, Fully Fair, Good Fair, Fully Good Fair et Good: Sans changement

HAUTE-GOUTTE ET PATOUC  
Fair, Fully Fair, Good Fair, et Fully Good Fair: Sans changement. Good: 17 soit 1/2 de baisse

ARANI  
Fully Good Fair, Good, Extra: Sans changement

JOANOVICH  
Fully Good Fair, Good, Extra: Sans changement

Etat du marché de ce jour, cotons: Ferme.  
Les arrivages de ce jour se chiffrent par caniers 3561 contre même jour l'année précédente can. 2232.  
Graines de coton.—Soutenues

	Disponible	Ticket
Mit-Aff—68 1/2	—	Rien
Haute-Egypte—68 1/2	—	Rien

Bêhéra—Fermes  
Qualité Saida.—Cond. Saha P.T. — à —  
Bêhéra— " " " 105. 115  
Fèves—Marché nul  
Saida: Disponible.—  
Fayoum: Disponible.—  
Qualité Saida, Cond. Saha P.T. 125 à 128  
Lentilles—Fermes  
Disponible: Rien

Cond. Saha P.T. 130 à 135  
Orges.—Sans changement  
Cond. Saha P.T. 65 à 68  
Maïs.—Sans changement  
Disponible: Rien.  
Cond. Saha P.T. 80 à 85

Exportation du 10 sept. dep. le 7 sept.  
Coton Bal. 400 Bal. 2384  
Gr. de cot. Ard. 720 Ard. 12183  
Fèves " " " " "

Les prix suivants ont été pratiqués ce jour:

COTON  
(BASSE-EGYPTE)  
Province Gharbi  
Kafr-Zayat... .. De P.T. 382 1/2 à 390  
Tantah... .. " " " " "

(MONTEN-SOUPHS)  
Province Fayoum  
Fayoum... .. De P.T. 335 à —  
(HAUTE-EGYPTE)  
Beni Souef... .. De P.T. 335 à —  
Bibeh... .. " " " 340 "



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## REUTERS' TELEGRAMS.

## CLOSING REPORTS.

LIVERPOOL, September 10, 12.55 p.m.

Sales of the day	... bales	7,000
Of which Egyptian	... "	400
American new maize, Spot per cental	... 4/10	
American futures (October-November)	... 4.91	
(Feb-March)	... 4.96	
American middling	... 5.45	
Egyptian fully good fair, delivery (September)	8 59/64	
(October)	8 31/64	
(November)	8 14/64	
(December)	7 63/64	
Egyptian Brown fair (per lb. d.)	7 13/16	
" good fair	9 2/16	
" good	10 12/16	
" fully good fair	9 11/16	
Egyptian saidi beans (new per 480 lbs)	—	

LONDON, September 10.

onsola (October)	... 86 1/2	
Egyptian Unified	... 104 1/2	
Private Discount 3m. Bank bills	... 3 1/4 o/o	

NEW YORK, September 10.

Spot Cotton	... 9.80	
American Futures (October)	... 8.93	
(November)	... 9.04	
(February)	... 9.31	
(March)	... 9.40	
Cable transfers	... dol. 4.84	
Cotton day's receipts at all U.S. Ports	... bales 22,000	

The Agricultural Bureau Monthly Report states that the average condition of the crop in the Cotton States is 77.3 o/o.

NEW ORLEANS, September 10.

Cotton Spot	... 9 4/16	
Futures October	... 9.14	
" December	... 9.19	

LIVERPOOL, September 10.

American futures (October-November)	... 4.93	
Egyptian fully good fair, delivery (September)	8 53/64	
(October)	8 27/64	
(November)	8 11/64	
(December)	7 60/64	

LONDON, September 10.

Bar Silver (per oz.)	... 31 11/16	
Private discount (3 month bills)	... 3 1/4 o/o	
Consols (October)	... 86 1/2	
Egyptian Unified	... 104 1/2	
Turkish Unified	... 97 1/2	
Rio Tinto	... 70 3/4	
New Daira	... 16 1/4	
Agricultural Bank	... 9 1/4	
National Bank of Egypt	... 26 1/4	
Rand Mines New	... 6 1/4	
Chartered of S. Africa	... 1 21/32	
Nile Valley Gold Mine	... New 7/32	
New Egyptians	... 1 16/32	
The Western Oasis Corporation 6/32 premium	... 11 1/4	
Delta Light (Bearing Shares)	... 101 1/4	
Egyptian Railway	... 103 1/4	
Domain	... 103 1/4	
Ottoman Defence	... 103 1/4	
Italian Rente 4 o/o	... 101 1/4	
Greek Monopoly	... 54 1/4	
Greek Rente 4 o/o	... 42 1/4	
Ottoman Bank	... 16 1/4	
Egyptian cot. seed to Hull (September)	6 12/16 nominal	
German Beet Sugar (September)	... 9/7 1/2	
\$225,000 were withdrawn from the Bank to-day	... 25.18 1/2	
Sugar White No. 3 (August)	... 27 1/2	
Banque de Salonique	... —	

PARIS, September 10.

Banque d'Alger	... 143	
Crédit Foncier Egyptien	... 769	
Crédit Lyonnais	... 1197	
Comptoir National d'Escompte	... 655	
Land Bank of Egypt	... 225	
Ottoman Bank	... 664	
Lotus Turcs	... 145	
Cheque on London	... 145	
Sugar White No. 3 (August)	... 25.18 1/2	
Banque de Salonique	... 25 18 1/2	

## Telegramme Havas

BOURSE du 10 septembre 1906

COTES DES VALEURS A TERME, CLOTURE

PARIS

Rente Française 3 o/o	... Fr. 97 47	
Dettes Egyptiennes Unifiées	... 106 80	
Extérieur Espagnol	... 97 20	
Russe consolidé	... 71	
Actions de Suez	... 4485	
Crédit Foncier Egyptien	... 769	
Crédit Lyonnais	... 1197	
Comptoir National d'Escompte	... 655	
Banque Ottomane	... 664	
Land Bank of Egypt	... 225	
Banque d'Alger	... 143	
Banque d'Abyssinie	... 145	
Crédit Franco-Egyptien	... 134	
Change sur Londres	... 25 18 1/2	
Consolidés anglais	... £ 86 1/4	
Escomptes—Paris 3, Londres 3 1/2, Berlin 4 1/2 o/o	... —	

## RESUME DE LA SITUATION COTONNIERE

au 7 septembre

AMERICAIN:	1906	1905
Recettes aux ports Semaine...	70,000	158,000
Recettes du 1er Septembre...	70,000	175,000
Export. Angleterre Semaine...	20,000	32,000
Export. Angleterre du 1. Sept.	20,000	35,000
Export. Continent Semaine...	30,000	54,000
Export. Continent du 1er Sept.	30,000	55,000
Prix par la filature Etats-Unis	40,000	40,000
Stock ports	200,000	376,000
Insight semaine	121,000	252,000
Insight du 1er Septembre	121,000	252,000
Con. Mondiale Amer. Semaine	165,000	162,000
Con. Mon. Amer. du 1er Sept.	165,000	162,000
Visible supply américaine	822,000	1,630,000
Visible supply général	1,100,000	1,923,000

GENERAL

LIVERPOOL:	1906	1905
Ventes Semaine	36,000	44,000
Forwarded	54,000	53,000
Importation	20,000	44,000
Exportation	2,000	6,000
Stock	360,000	708,000
Flottant	45,000	85,000

EGYPTIEN

BALLES	1906	1905
Ventes Semaine	1,300	1,600
Forwarded	2,000	5,200
Importation	4,500	100
Exportation	1,400	1,100
Stock	25,000	28,000
Flottant	3,000	14,000

## PRIMES DES CONTRATS

"Simple Faculte"

Coton	Liv. Nov.	P.T. 11 1/4	—	—
Gr. de coton	" 3 mois	" 2 1/4	—	—

"Stalage"

Coton	Liv. Nov.	P.T. 21 1/4	—	—
Gr. de coton	" 3 mois	" 4 1/2	—	—

"Double"

Coton	Liv. Nov.	P.T. 7 1/2	—	—
Gr. de coton	" 3 mois	" 1 1/2	—	—

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

Prices on Tuesday, September 4, 1906.

Abyssinia Bank	... 1 1/4 @ 1/4 dis.	
Agricultural Bank	... 9 1/4 @ 1/4	
Preferred	... 9 1/4 @ 1/4	
3 1/2 o/o Bonds	... 92 1/2 @ 1/4	
Anglo-Egyptian Bank	... 13 1/2 @ 1/4	
Central Egypt Exploration Co.	... 15 @ 1/4	
Crédit Foncier d'Egypte	... 15 @ 1/4	
Corporation of Western Egypt	... par —	
Daira Sugar 4 o/o Debentures	... 5 —	
Daira Sanieh Ordinary	... 16 1/4 @ 1/4	
Deferred	... 96 @ 1/4	
Delta Preference	... 11 1/2 @ 1/4	
Deferred	... 10 @ 1/4	
Delta Lands	... 3 1/4 @ 1/4	
Egyptian Estates	... 1 1/2 @ 1/4	
Deferred	... 10 @ 1/4	
Egyptian Mines Exploration Ltd.	... 4 @ 1/4	
Trust and Investment	... 1/4 @ 1/4	
Land and General Trust	... 1/4 @ 1/4	
Options	... 1 1/2 @ 1/4	
Eridia	... 1 1/2 @ 1/4	
Fatira	... 1 1/2 @ 1/4	
Khedivial Mail S.S. Company	... 1 1/4 @ 1/4	
Land Bank of Egypt	... 8 1/4 @ 1/4	
Meuse Reef	... 1 @ 1/4	
New Egyptian Company	... 1 1/2 @ 1/4	
National Bank	... 26 1/4 @ 1/4	
Nile Valley	... 5 @ 1/4	
Block "E"	... 1/4 @ 1/4	
North Nile Valley	... 1 @ 1/4	
Salt & Soda	... 1 @ 1/4	
Sudana Exploration	... 1/6 @ 1/4	
Sudana Gold	... 1/4 @ 1/4	
Um Rus Gold Mine	... 1 @ 1/4	
United African Exploration	... 1 1/4 @ 1/4	
Union Foncière d'Egypte	... 6 @ 1/4	
Egyptian Investment & Agency	... 1/4 @ 1/4	
Egyptian Markets	... 1 1/2 @ 1/4	
Egyptian Sudan Mines	... 1 @ 1/4	

## SUCRES

## Visible Supply

	1906	1905
Angleterre	T. 196,600	143,700
France	" 487,090	387,600
Allemagne	" 458,720	275,000
Hambourg	" 90,130	119,270
Autriche	" 277,970	131,410
Hollande	" 30,250	8,300
Belgique	" 99,570	41,600
	T. 1,606,330	1,106,880
Etats-Unis	" 271,000	185,670
Cuba	" 77,000	210,000
Sous Voiles	" 53,800	208,260
Total	T. 2,007,710	1,710,810

Contre Tonnes

1,806,650 pour 1904	
2,278,534 " 1903	
2,301,185 " 1902	

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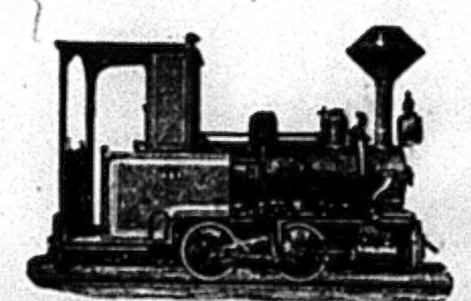
AVERAGE TIME occupied in transmission of Egyptian telegrams from England to Alexandria on Monday, 10th September, 1906.

OUTWARDS.

Between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. (Cairo time)

FROM	MESSAGES HANDLED IN AT	Postal Company's Office	Telegraph Office
		H. M.	H. M.
Liverpool	24	34	
Manchester	15		
Glasgow	14		
Other Provincial Offices	—	37	

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